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For: METHOD FOR RE-SENSITIZING VANCOMYCIN RESISTANT BACTERIA USING AGENTS WHICH

SELECTIVELY CLEAVE A CELL WALL DEPSIPEPTIDE

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment to the above-identified application.

Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

a verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 is enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

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